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RECORDATION NO 23159

Mr. Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board Washington, D.C. 20423

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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) copies of Memorandum of Bill of Sale and Assignment, dated as of July 26, 2002 a secondary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The enclosed document relates to Memorandum of Lease Agreement which was previously filed with the Board under Recordation Number \_\_\_\_23/59-\_4.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are:

Seller/Assignor:

I&M Rail Link, LLC

1910 East Kimberly Road Davenport, IO 52807

Buyer/Assignee:

Iowa, Chicago & Eastern Railroad

337 – 22<sup>nd</sup> Avenue South Brookings, SD 57006 Mr. Vernon A. Williams August 7, 2002 Page 2

A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

28 bulkhead flatcars within the series WCRC 1103 – WCRC 1182 as set forth in Exhibit A to the Memorandum.

A short summary of the document to appear in the index is:

Bill of Sale and Assignment.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$30.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Alvord

RWA/anm Enclosures

RECORDATION NO 23159-FILED

MEMORANDUM OF BILL OF SALE AND ASSIGNMENT

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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

Memorandum of Bill of Sale and Assignment, made and entered into as of July 26, 2002 by and between I&M RAIL LINK, LLC, Seller, and IOWA, CHICAGO & EASTERN RAILROAD CORPORATION, Buyer.

WITNESSETH:

The undersigned have entered into that certain Bill of Sale and Assignment, dated as of July 26, 2002, by which Seller has sold and assigned its right, title and interest in and to certain railroad equipment and the leases and beneficial interests therein to Buyer, and Buyer has accepted and assumed all duties and obligations of Seller with respect thereto. The railroad equipment and documents related thereto are set forth on Exhibit A attached hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have each caused this memorandum to be duly executed by their respective officers duly authorized as of the date and year first above written.

**I&M RAIL LINK, LLC** 

Name: Richard J. Stoeckly

Title: President

IOWA, CHICAGO & EASTERN RAILROAD CORPORATION

Name: Robert O. Brownell

Title: President

DISTRICT OF	)
	) ss:
COLUMBIA	)

On this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2002, before me personally appeared Richard J. Stoeckly, who, being by me duly swom, says that he is the President of I&M RAIL LINK, LLC, that the foregoing document was signed on behalf of said corporation, and that the execution of said instrument was his free act and deed.

My commission expires: ///03

DISTRICT OF ) ss:

On this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2002, before me personally appeared Robert O. Brownell, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is the President of IOWA, CHICAGO & EASTERN RAILROAD CORPORATION, that the foregoing document was signed on behalf of said corporation, and that the execution of said instrument was his free act and deed.

My commission expires: Sept. 30, 2002

## EXHIBIT A TO MEMORANDUM OF BILL OF SALE AND ASSIGNMENT

LESSOR: Greenbrier Leasing Corporation

LESSEE: I&M Rail Link, LLC

AGREEMENT: Lease Agreement, dated June 1, 2000, and Schedule No. 2, dated

July 1, 2000

RECORDATION #: 23159-A

CARS: Twenty-eight (28) bulkhead flatcars bearing reporting marks:

WCRC 1103 WCRC 1111 WCRC 1118 WCRC 1123 WCRC 1128 WCRC 1153 WCRC 1155

WCRC 1157-1162, inclusive WCRC 1165-1171, inclusive WCRC 1173-1175, inclusive WCRC 1178-1182, inclusive

## **CERTIFICATION**

I, Robert W. Alvord, attorney licensed to practice in the State of New York and the District of Columbia, do hereby certify under penalty of perjury that I have compared the attached copy with the original thereof and have found the copy to be complete and identical in all respects to the original document.

Dated: 8/15/02 Short W Alvord